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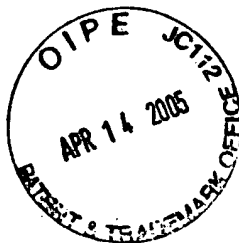
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Docket No.: 16356.686 (DC-03130)
Customer No. 000027683

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re patent application of:	§	
Peppers, Cherita et al.	§	
Serial No.: 10/087,384	§	Group Art Unit: 2122
Filed: March 1, 2002	§	Examiner: Romano, John J.
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR	§	
AUTOMATED OPERATING SYSTEMS	§	
UPGRADE	§	

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 13, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Claims 1-10, 13, 14-23 and 26 are amended, claims 11, 12, 24, 25 and 27-40 are cancelled and claims 1-10, 13, 14-23 and 26 remain in the application. Re-examination and reconsideration of the application, as amended, are requested.